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RESPONSE

Sir:

This Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed on July 14, 2004. No fee is required by this Response.

REMARKS

Examiner Dixon has issued a restriction requirement dividing pending claims 1 through 19 into three groups: Group I, claims 1 through 11 (directed to a multi-component extrusion); Group II, claims 12 through 14 (directed to a multi-component co-extrusion die); and Group III, claims 15 through 19 (directed to a method of making a multi-component extrusion). The

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